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Dear Jim and Annabelle,

Here are the pictures from our trip to Barra in 1983. We hope that you and Louise enjoy them.

Barra was particularly beautiful when we were there because all of Scotland was having a heat wave at that time (July, 1983). So the weather was warm and the air was clear, just great for photography. This is not typical.

Our plane landed on the beach at low tide, and a couple hours later was completely covered with water. We stayed only one night, but Barra is very small. The one road around the island is 14 miles long.

Gil and I thoroughly enjoyed our trip to West Virginia. We thank you for letting us copy your geneology. We haven't done anything with it as yet, but we have plans, as we told you.

We spent a whole evening with Steve and Agnes McNeill in Sutton. They and we had a nice visit, and ^{we} were able to get a lot more information.

We spent a couple of days in Lancaster, Penn., then visited Gil's daughter in Pittsburgh. Now we are planning a little get together with my McNeill cousins here in California. We're going to show them our pictures and the geneology, so it should be fun.

Thanks for your help.

Fondly,

Joy + Gil Eelman









